

S. 2640 and H.R. 3421, to provide for adequate school facilities in Yosemite National Park, and for other purposes;

S. 2776, to provide for the protection of archaeological sites in the Galisteo Basin in New Mexico, and for other purposes;

S. 2788, to revise the boundary of the Wind Cave National Park in the State of South Dakota;

S. 2880, to designate Fort Bayard Historic District in the State of New Mexico as a National Historic Landmark, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3786, to revise the boundary of the Glen Canyon National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Arizona; and

H.R. 3858, to modify the boundaries of the New River Gorge National River, West Virginia.

Because of the limited time available for the hearing, witnesses may testify by invitation only. However, those wishing to submit written testimony for the hearing record should send two copies of their testimony to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, United States Senate, 312 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, DC 20510.

For further information, please contact David Brooks of the Committee staff at (202) 224-9863.

#### AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

##### COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 12, 2002, at 2:00 p.m., to conduct a hearing and mark-up for the nomination of Wayne A. Abernathy, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Financial Institutions; a mark-up of S. 2239, the FHA Downpayment Simplification Act of 2002; and a mark-up of S. 1210, Reauthorizing the Native American Housing and Self-Determination Act of 1996.

THE PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 12, 2002, to consider favorably reporting H.R. 5063, the Armed Forces Tax Fairness Act of 2002.

THE PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 12, 2002 at 10:15 a.m. to hold a hearing on the World Bank's International Development Association.

#### Agenda

##### Witnesses

Panel 1: The Honorable John Taylor, Under Secretary for International Affairs, Department of Treasury, Washington, DC.

Panel 2: Witnesses to be announced.  
The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 12, 2002 at 2:30 p.m. to hold a hearing on the Moscow Treaty.

#### AGENDA

##### Witnesses

Panel 1: The Honorable William J. Perry, Berberian Professor and Senior Fellow, Institute for International Studies, Stanford University, Stanford, CA;

The Honorable Fred C. Iklé, Distinguished Scholar, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, DC.

Panel 2: The Honorable Rose Gottemoeller, Senior Associate, Russian and Eurasian and Global Policy Programs, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Washington, DC;

Ambassador James E. Goodby, Nonresident Senior Fellow, Foreign Policy Studies, The Brookings Institution, Washington, DC;

Dr. John P. Holdren, Teresa and John Heinz Professor of Environmental Policy and Director Science, Technology, and Public Policy Program, Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA;

Mr. Henry D. Sokolski, Executive Director, Nonproliferation Policy Education Center, Washington, DC.

Additional witnesses to be announced.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR, AND PENSIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions be authorized to meet for a hearing on "One Year Later: Restoring Economic Security for Workers and the Nation," during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 12, 2002, at 10 a.m., in SD-106.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Indian Affairs be authorized to meet on Thursday, September 12, 2002, at 10 a.m., in room 485 of the Russell Senate Office Building to conduct an oversight hearing on successful strategies for Indian reservation development and the lessons that can be learned from developing country and other Indian tribal economies.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 12, 2002, at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., to hold a joint closed hearing with the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence regarding the joint inquiry into the events of September 11, 2001.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### SUBCOMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, AND SPACE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space be authorized to meet on Thursday, September 12, 2002, at 2:30 p.m. on S. 2537/H.R. 3833, DOT Kids Implementation and Efficiency Act.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Elmer Ransom, a fellow on the Finance Committee staff, be granted the privilege of the floor during the Senate's proceedings today.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. THOMPSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Thomas Swanton, a staff member of Mr. SPECTER's office, be granted floor privileges for the duration of the debate on H.R. 5005, the homeland security bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. THOMPSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that a fellow in Senator BROWNBACK's staff, Jay Wolff, be permitted privileges of the floor during the homeland security bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. THOMPSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to extend floor privileges to Wan Kim and Michael Volkov, who are both on detail to the minority staff of the Judiciary Committee, during the course of any debate on H.R. 5005, the homeland security bill.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. JEFFORDS. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that Jan Rasgus, a congressional fellow in my office, be granted floor privileges for the remainder of today's session.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT—H.R. 5093

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that on Friday, September 13, once the Senate resumes consideration of H.R. 5093, the Department of the Interior appropriations bill, and the Dodd amendment No. 4522, the time until 10:15 be